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EUROPIUM ACTIVATED CESIUM BROMIDE PHOSPHOR AND RADIATION IMAGE STORAGE SHEET

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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An europium activated cesium bromide phosphor having the formula of CsBr:xEu [0<x<0.2], in which a relationship between an emission intensity ($I_{\rm E}$) of Eu²+ and a coloring intensity ($I_{\rm F}$) at F(Br¹) center satisfies the condition of 0.2<I $_{\rm E}$ xI $_{\rm F}$, and/or in which a ratio of Eu²+ to Eu³+ contained in the phosphor in terms of emission intensity satisfies the condition of 5x10⁻⁵<Eu³+/Eu²+<0.1 gives an increased stimulated emission amount and is favorably employed for producing a radiation image storage sheet.